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# The BURCHELL NURSERY

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THE MERCED ALMOND (See Description Inside)

1958-59

## *Catalog Price List*

FRUIT TREES • NUT TREES • BERRIES  
SHADE TREES • GRAPE VINES

**THE BURCHELL NURSERY**

Office & Salesyard: McHenry Ave., 4 Miles North  
Rt. 6, Box 1500 • MODESTO, CALIF. • Lambert 3-1834

## *Season's Greetings--1958-59*

One of the most important problems facing any grower who expects to plant an orchard is to decide what to plant. Since fruit growing is a business, it is only natural to think first of market outlook, and plant the kind that appears to have the best future.

But the old rule in orcharding, which we believe is still good in most cases, is to plant the kind of trees that do best on your own land. Prices go up and down, but the grower who plants the fruit that is best adapted to his own soil and climatic conditions is the one who produces heavy tonnages of quality fruit — and he usually comes out on top.

Come in and talk over your planting problems with us. Our field men are always available to inspect your land, and give you conscientious advice.

*Irvin M. Burchell*

Owner and Manager

LEONARD D. JAMES  
Assistant Manager

ERNEST E. WAGGONER  
Production Superintendent

LEE BRAND  
Fresno District Representative  
Phone BALDwin 2-9072

### **TERMS OF SALE**

**DELIVERY.** Our trucks run, during the planting season, throughout the San Joaquin and Sacramento Valleys. Truck deliveries are made without charge in this area. If necessary to ship your order by rail or motor express, we ship collect, and make no charge for packing. Growers are more than welcome to call and take delivery of their orders at our salesyard. Our shipping and delivery season runs from early in December until the last of March.

**QUALITY and CONDITION.** We take pride in growing and delivering quality nursery stock. However, if any defective trees or vines are found which may have escaped our graders; or if any stock arrives in defective condition, we ask you to notify us within ten days of receipt of shipment. We will then replace, or refund the purchase price of such defective trees or vines.

**TERMS and PRICES.** Terms are net cash. All prices in this catalog are subject to change without notice.

**INSPECTION.** California State Law provides that all nursery stock must be inspected by County Agricultural Commissioner at county of destination immediately upon receipt thereof. We guarantee our stock to pass inspection, and will stand any loss occasioned by its failure to do so.

**LIABILITY.** We use every care in the selection of budwood and the growing of nursery stock in order to have it true to name. We will replace, or refund the purchase price for any stock which may prove untrue. Our liability for this, however, or any other cause whatever, is limited to a sum no greater than the original purchase price.

## **THE MERCED ALMOND**

PLANT PAT. 1730

(See Front Cover)

The Merced is a papershell almond that blooms with Nonpareil, and is a good pollinizer. Its cracking percentage is among the highest of all commercial varieties; which means top, or near top prices for the nuts.

One of the outstanding features is its early and heavy production.

We are much impressed with Merced, and would use it as a pollinizer in preference to any other variety. We suggest for new orchards, planting two-thirds Nonpareil and one-third Merced. Assuming good soil and orchard management, such a combination would result in fine production; and 100% papershell nuts — the kind that bring top prices. (Royalty 50c per tree.)

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## **THE ROSE NECTARINE**

PLANT PAT. 1421

This year the Rose made a name for itself as the finest of all freezing nectarines. With its delicious true nectarine flavor, and white freestone flesh, it was made into a superb frozen product. At the present time a Fresno County freezer is anxious to contract for commercial tonnage at good prices.

The Rose is also a good shipper, and its striking color gives it exceptional "eye appeal" in the market. Since we first observed the Rose six years ago, it has never failed to set a good crop. It is a good early market fruit, ripening one week after John Rivers. (Royalty \$1.50 per tree.)

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## **THE MARIGOLD NECTARINE**

PLANT PAT. 1724

The Marigold is a large, beautifully colored freestone nectarine with yellow, firm flesh; making it a fine shipping and market variety. The trees are good producers, and the fruit ripens in August, about the same time as Late Le Grand.

Our own orchard is just starting to bear, but the fruit so far has brought excellent prices, and we expect the Marigold to be a real money maker. (Royalty \$1.50 per tree; 100 or more trees only.)

## PRICES - JUNE BUDS

### PEACH, ALMOND and NECTARINE TREES

(The following prices are for commercial lots.  
Please see prices for Home Orchard trees below.)

CALIPER GRADE	LOVELL ROOT	S-37 NEMATODE RESISTANT ROOT
5/8" up .....	.75c .....	.90c each
1/2" to 5/8" .....	.75c .....	.85c each
3/8" to 1/2" .....	.65c .....	.80c each
5/16" to 3/8" .....	.60c .....	.75c each
1/4" to 5/16" .....	.50c .....	.65c each
3/16" to 1/4" .....	.40c .....	.60c each

## PRICES—YEARLING TREES

(Commercial lots. Please see prices for Home Orchard trees below.)

### ALMONDS

	3/4"	5/8"	1/2"	3/8"	5/16"
On Peach Root .....	\$ .85	\$ .80	\$ .75	\$ .65	\$ .60
On S-37 Root .....	1.05	1.00	.90	.85	.75

### APRICOTS and PLUMS

On Apricot, Myro 29 and Mar. 26-24 Roots ..	.90	.85	.80	.70	.60
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### CHERRIES

On Mazzard and Mahaleb Roots .....	1.15	1.00	.85	.75	.65
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### PEACHES and NECTARINES

On Lovell Root .....	.90	.85	.80	.75	.65
On S-37 Root .....	1.05	1.00	.90	.85	.75

### PEARS

On French Root .....	1.10	1.00	.90	.80	.70
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### PRUNES

On Myro 29, and Mar. 26-24 .....	.85	.80	.70	.65	.60
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### WALNUTS — ON NO. CALIF. BLACK ROOT

SIZE GRADES	1 TO 9 TREES	10 OR MORE
3 - 4'	\$2.00 Each	\$1.75 Each
4 - 6'	2.50 Each	2.25 Each
6 - 8'	3.00 Each	2.75 Each
8 - 10'	3.25 Each	3.00 Each
10 - 12'	3.50 Each	3.25 Each

### BLACK WALNUT SEEDLINGS

2 - 3' .....	35 Each	4 - 6' .....	55c Each
3 - 4' .....	45c Each	6 - 8' .....	65c Each

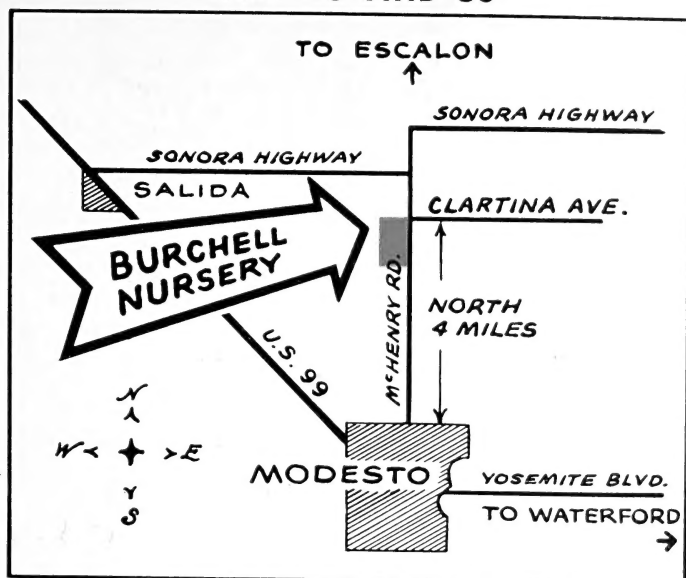
## PRICES—HOME ORCHARD TREES

Almonds, Apples, Apricots, Cherries, Figs, Nectarines,  
Peaches, Pears, Plums, Pomegranates, Prunes, Quinces.

ASSORTED VARIETIES	1 TO 9	10 OR MORE
4 - 6' and 6 - 8' Grades . . .	\$1.25 Each	\$1.10 Each
3 - 4' Grade .....	1.00 Each	.85 Each

Prices Subject to Change Without Notice.

## HOW TO FIND US



*We grow nearly all varieties for which  
there is commercial demand.*

*More than 100 kinds of trees and vines  
are here listed.*

### ALMONDS

- |             |                 |                   |
|-------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| ➤ Davey     | *Merced p.3     | ➤ Peerless        |
| ➤ Drakes    | ➤ Ne Plus Ultra | ➤ *Sandall        |
| ➤ Jordanolo | ➤ Nonpareil     | ➤ Texas (Mission) |

### APPLES

- |                 |                   |                     |
|-----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| ➤ Gravenstein   | ➤ Red June        | ➤ Transcendent Crab |
| ➤ Jonathan      | ➤ Rome Beauty     | ➤ Yellow Delicious  |
| ➤ Red Delicious | ➤ Stayman Winesap | ➤ Yellow Newton     |

### APRICOTS

- |            |            |         |          |
|------------|------------|---------|----------|
| ➤ Blenheim | ➤ Moorpark | ➤ Royal | ➤ Tilton |
|------------|------------|---------|----------|

### CHERRIES

- |           |                    |              |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------|
| ➤ Bing    | ➤ Black Republican | ➤ Royal Anne |
| ➤ Lambert | ➤ Black Tartarian  | ➤ Van        |

### FIGS

- |                 |          |                |
|-----------------|----------|----------------|
| ➤ Black Mission | ➤ Kadota | ➤ Brown Turkey |
|-----------------|----------|----------------|

### NECTARINES

- |               |                     |             |
|---------------|---------------------|-------------|
| ➤ Gold        | ➤ *Merrill Princess | ➤ *Rose p.3 |
| ➤ John Rivers | ➤ *Merrill Sunrise  | ➤ Quetta    |
| *Marigold p.3 | ➤ Stanwick          |             |

Nursery Stock is subject to 4% State Sales Tax.

(\*) Means Royalty varieties. Royalty is added to price of tree.

## PEACHES—CLINGS

- |             |         |             |
|-------------|---------|-------------|
| Andora      | Gomes   | Sierra      |
| Carolyn     | Halford | Stanford    |
| Corona      | Johnson | Starn       |
| Cortez      | Loadel  | Vivian      |
| Dixon No. 1 | Paloro  | White Heath |
| Fortuna     | Peak    | *Wiser      |
| Gaume       | Shasta  |             |

## PEACHES—FREESTONE

- |                   |                      |               |
|-------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| *Alamar           | Kim (July Elberta)   | Nectar        |
| Babcock           | Lovell               | Red Globe     |
| Cardinal          | Mayflower            | Red Haven     |
| Decker Strawberry | *Merrill Fiesta      | Rio Oso Gem   |
| Elberta           | Merrill Forty-niner  | *Robin        |
| Fay Elberta       | Merrill Gold Rush    | *Royal Fay    |
| *Gold Dust        | *Merrill Gem (Cling) | Salway        |
| Indian Blood      | *Merrill Halloween   | *Springtime   |
| J. H. Hale        | Millers Late         | *Williams Gem |
|                   | Muir                 |               |

(\*) Means Royalty varieties. Royalty is added to price of tree.

## PEARS

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|----------|--------|--------|--------------|
| Bartlett | Comice | Seckel | Winter Nelis |
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## PRUNES

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|--------|-----------------|-------|
| Burton | French Improved | Sugar |
|--------|-----------------|-------|

## PLUMS

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|---------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Ace     | Eldorado   | Late Roza | Queen Anne |
| Beauty  | Green Gage | Mariposa  | Santa Rosa |
| Burmosa | Kelsey     | Nubiana   | Satsuma    |
| Climax  | Laroda     | President |            |
| Damson  |            |           |            |

## WALNUTS

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|------------------|---------|----------|
| Eureka           | Hartley | Waterloo |
| Treat Franquette |         | Payne    |

## QUINCE

- |        |           |
|--------|-----------|
| Smyrna | Pineapple |
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## POMEGRANATE—Wonderful

## PERSIMMONS

- |                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Fuyu              | Hachiya     |
| 4 - 6' Grade..... | \$2.25 each |
| 2 - 3' Grade..... | 1.50 each   |

## OLIVES

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|-------------------|---------|-------------|
| Manzanillo        | Mission | Sevillano   |
| 3 - 4' Grade..... |         | \$2.00 each |

## PECANS

- |                   |        |         |                |
|-------------------|--------|---------|----------------|
| Mahan             | Stuart | Success | Western Schley |
| 6 - 8' Grade..... |        |         | \$3.75 each    |
| 4 - 6' Grade..... |        |         | 3.50 each      |

## AVOCADOS — Each \$6.00 (Balled)

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|------|----------|
| Duke | Mexicola |
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## CITRUS TREES (Balled)

1/2" . . . . . \$4.50

CALIPER SIZE

3/4" . . . . . \$4.75

Washington Navel Orange	Meyer Lemon (Tree Type)	
Robertson Navel	Marsh Grapefruit	Dancy Tangerine
Valencia Orange	Pink Grapefruit	Kara Mandarin
Eureka Lemon	Algerian Tangerine	Kumquat
Meyer Lemon (Bush Type)	Gal. Cans. . . . .	\$1.50

## GRAPEVINES—Well Rooted No. 1 Vines

FOR COMMERCIAL PLANTINGS — \$80 PER M

Black Monukka	Emperor	Malaga	Thompson Seedless
*Cardinal	*Italia	Muscat	Tokay
Concord	Lady Finger	Ribier	

\*100 per M.

1 to 9 vines . . . . .	35c each
10 to 49 vines . . . . .	25c each

## SHADE TREES

4 - 6' \$1.50 Each

8 - 10' \$2.50 Each

6 - 8' \$1.75 Each

10 - 12' \$2.75 Each

Modesto Ash

Fruitless Mulberry

Silver Maple

## BUSH BERRIES—Well Rooted Plants

Per thousand . . . . .	\$60.00
Per hundred . . . . .	8.50
Per dozen . . . . .	1.50

Boysenberry Nectarberry Olallie Blackberry Youngberry  
Red Raspberry Thornless Boysen Cory Thornless

## STRAWBERRIES

Banner . . . . .	\$3.00 per hundred
Shasta . . . . .	3.00 per hundred
Streamliner Everbearing . . . . .	6.00 per hundred

## TREE PROTECTORS

PROTECT YOUR INVESTMENT WITH "PAXCO" TREE PROTECTORS

12 inches . . . . .	\$3.00 per 100 . . . . .	\$22.00 per 1000
15 inches . . . . .	3.25 per 100 . . . . .	25.00 per 1000
18 inches . . . . .	3.75 per 100 . . . . .	27.00 per 1000
24 inches . . . . .	4.85 per 100 . . . . .	35.00 per 1000
36 inches . . . . .	8.00 per 100 . . . . .	60.00 per 1000

PLEASE ORDER IN MULTIPLES OF 50

### REGARDING BUDWOOD

For the past six years, the State Department of Agriculture has inspected the orchards from which we take budwood. This is done in order that we may be sure all budwood trees are free from serious virus diseases.

Such virus inspection is in addition to our own selection of heavy producing, true to type trees of each variety. We welcome inquiry about the bud source of any variety we grow.

## Number of Trees or Plants to an Acre

### SQUARE METHOD

6x6 .....	1210	20x20 .....	108
6x8 .....	907	20x24 .....	90
6x10 .....	726	22x22 .....	90
6x12 .....	605	24x24 .....	75
8x8 .....	680	25x25 .....	69
8x10 .....	544	30x30 .....	48
8x12 .....	454	35x35 .....	35
10x10 .....	435	40x40 .....	27
10x12 .....	363	50x50 .....	18
16x16 .....	170	60x60 .....	12

"Plant Good Trees  
on Good Land. Take  
Care of Them and  
They Will Take Care  
of You."



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